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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: SADAT-PERES MEETING IN VIENNA

1. PRESIDENT SADAT'S DEPARTURE TODAY FOR VIENNA IS TOP STORY IN JULY 7 PRESS. SADAT TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. SADAT, DIRECTOR OF PRESIDENCY HASSAN KAMEL AND "LIMITED" NUMBER OF AIDES. HE WILL SPEND THREE DAYS IN VIENNA AT IMPERIAL HOTEL. HE MEETS WITH CHANCELLOR KREISKY AT 10.00 A.M. AND EVENING OF JULY 8. DISCUSSIONS WITH KREISKY, PERES AND WILLY BRANDT TO BEGIN SUNDAY MORNING POSSIBLY FOLLOWED BY PRESS CONFERENCE. HE ALSO WILL MEET DR. NAHUM GOLDMANN. SADAT EXPECTED TO LEAVE VIENNA FOR SALZBURG JULY 10 OR 11 FOR PRIVATE VISIT WHICH WILL LAST UNTIL THURSDAY, JULY 13. IN SALZBURG, HE WILL STAY AT SCHLOSS FUSCHEL HOTEL.

2. ACCORDING TO BBC-TV CORRESPONDENT IN INTERVIEW JULY 5,
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SADAT REFUSED TO SINGLE OUT PERES OR WEIZMAN FOR PRAISE OR CRITICIZE BEGIN. HOWEVER, ON SAME DAY IN INTERVIEW WITH COLUMNIST ROLAND EVANS, SADAT WAS HIGHLY CRITICAL OF BEGIN BY NAME AND FULL OF PRAISE FOR WEIZMAN.

3. COMMENT. SADAT'S MEETING WITH PERES AND COMMENTS TO EVANS, SUGGEST THAT HE MAY HAVE DECIDED TO DISCARD

FORMER STRATEGY OF NOT ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE POLITICAL
FERMENT IN ISRAEL. VIRTUALLY ALL EGYPTIANS HAVE RULED
OUT POSSIBILITY OF REACHING SETTLEMENT WITH BEGIN AND
SADAT MAY HAVE CONCLUDED THAT TREATING BEGIN WITH
KID GLOVES HAS NOT ONLY FAILED TO MAKE HIM MORE AMENABLE
TO SETTLEMENT, BUT PERHAPS INCREASED HIS INTRANSIGENCE
AND POPULARITY. THEREFORE, HE HAS NOTHING TO LOSE
BY ATTEMPTING PLAY OFF PERES AND WEIZMAN AGAINST BEGIN.
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